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Thomas Tomasi and Laura Young

THANK YOU

To our 2005 Judges for their time and effort.

SOCIAL SERVICES



Tim Center

- Nominated by Stephanie Williams.

He chaired the Board of Children's Home Society North Central Division, provided educational activities for Leadership Tallahassee and gave strategic planning advice to Tallahassee 25, the volunteer corps he helped create.



Janet Creel

- Nominated by Cinny Burns, Big Bend Hospice.

She found all kinds of ways to support Wakulla County patients and families, whether giving a haircut, taking wedding photos, going to a custody hearing or spending an entire night in calm reassurance.



Scott VanDeman

- Nominated by Melissa Walton, Big Bend Care.

This webmaster revamped the Big Bend Cares website, adding an E-news service, three interactive discussion forums and a Virtual AIDS Quilt. This boosted site visits by 67% and gave the group a global reach.





Melody Mann

- Nominated by Gall Mann.

She organized the Queens' Team for Relay for Life, and volunteered enthusiastically all over her hometown of Graceville, in classrooms, clubs, sports, homes and the hospital.

Bethany Mihalik

— Nominated by Penny Brinson, Hawks Rise Elementary School.

She helped Hawks Rise teachers all summer doing clerical work and cleanups. At her own school, Chiles High, she participated in countless service projects and participated in theater outreach programs.



Jeffrey Walker

— Nominated by Darius Jones, Godby High School.

He worked with Special Olympians, cooked and served at the Huntington's Disease Benefit dinner, was a pet sitter during an animal adoption drive and helped with JROTC lake and road clean-ups.



PROFESSIONAL MGR./COORDINATOR OF VOLUNTEERS

Julie Sanders

- Nominated by Christi Moss, Chaires Panther PTO.



Florence "Peg" Tuomisto

- Nominated by Sheriff Larry Campbell, Leon Co. Sheriff's Office

